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AMENDMENT AND REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION UNDER 37 CFR 1.111

Dear Sir:

Responsive to the Official Action mailed July 12, 2006 for the above-referenced application, please amend the application as follows.

Applicants hereby request a three-month Extension of Time. The Examiner is requested and authorized to charge our Deposit Account No. 07-1729 for the appropriate fee.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 5 of this paper.

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